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To The Committee:

I am pleased to write this letter of recommendation for John Evered, a young man I have mentored for the last two years in my role as the Director of Youth and Community Services for the Municipality of Princeton in New Jersey, which I retired from on September 30, 2021.

During this time, John has proved himself to be a bright and hardworking young man, devoted to personal development and lifelong learning. He has personally overcome many challenges during this time related to his family life. He has demonstrated the qualities required to be an outstanding student in a four-year college setting. These include but are not limited to a strong desire to learn new areas of study, dedication to his personal and physical growth, and a commitment to be the best he can be each day. What is most impressive about John is that if he is interested in an area such as investments, John embarks on a quest to assure he knows all he can to be considered a successful investor.

John is a careful and creative individual with an eye for detail and devotion to his future professional life. He has a unique ability to draw on his own experiences and observations to develop thoughtful opinions on any issues that may arise. On top of that he is an invaluable in peer-to-peer interactions with friends who he is willing to share his personal challenges and opportunities to encourage their growth.

John takes his schoolwork and interests more seriously than most people that I have encountered and is wise beyond his years. It is therefore without reservations that I recommend him to you for admission to your college or university. I am sure he will be a valuable asset to your school and that you will be proud to consider him an alumnus in the future.

If you have any questions or further requests, please contact me at 201-724-4410 or at garyjdeblasio@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

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